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## **Amendments to the Specification:**

Please replace paragraph [0020], beginning at page 6, line 8, with the following rewritten paragraph:

**[0020]** Rather, the description concentrates on the essential design innovations for configuring a ventilation system that allows ventilating and venting the pump accommodating bore 11 and the accumulator accommodating bore 4 for pressure compensation to the atmosphere exclusively by way of one single ventilation point 6, to what end the invention focuses on the arrangement and construction of a pressure compensating channel 1, which additionally allows a storage of pump leakage in the area of the accumulator accommodating bore 4.